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INFO AMEMBASSY MEXICO

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NATL MARINE FISHERIES SERVICE ST PETERSBURG FLA

UNCLAS BRASILIA 2545

MEXICO PASS TO FISHERIES ATTACHE

E. O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EFIS, BR

SUBJECT: GOB NOTE ON SHRIMP BOAT SEIZURES

1. LATE APRIL 4, EMBASSY RECEIVED FOLLOWING NOTE, DATED  
APRIL 3, FROM THE FOREIGN MINISTRY:

BEGIN TEXT:

MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL RELATIONS COMPLIMENTS THE  
EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND HAS THE  
HONOR TO INFORM THAT VESSELS OF THE BRAZILIAN NAVY  
ENCOUNTERED THE AMERICAN SHRIMP BOATS "TINA MARIE"  
(UB-108) AND "YOUNG'S" (UB-074) IN BRAZILIAN TERRITORIAL  
WATERS, ALONG THE COAST OF THE STATE OF MARANHAO  
(LATITUDE 02 DEGREES 25 MINUTES SOUTH AND LONGITUDE  
042 DEGREES 05 MINUTES WEST.)

AS THE MENTIONED BOATS WERE OPERATING OUTSIDE  
THE AREA OF FISHING FORESEEN IN THE UNITED STATES  
BRAZIL AGREEMENT CONCERNING SHRIMP, THEY WERE APPREHENDED  
ON MARCH 22, AND ESCORTED TO THE PORT OF BELEM,  
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WHERE THEY WERE MOORED ON MARCH 25, 1975. THE UNITED

STATES CONSUL IN BELEM WAS NOTIFIED OF THE FACT.

EACH BOAT POSSESSED A CREW COMPOSED OF FOUR MEMBERS, ALL BRAZILIANS. THE CAPTAIN OF THE "TINA MARIE" INFORMED THAT HE HAD IN HIS HOLD ABOUT ONE TON OF SHRIMP AND 200 KILOS OF FISH; THE CAPTAIN OF THE "YOUNG'S" INFORMED THAT HE HAD ABOUT 700 KILOS OF SHRIMP.

TAKING IN VIEW THE EXCHANGE OF NOTES OF MARCH 14 WITH RESPECT TO THE APPLICATION OF THE PROVISIONS OF THE AGREEMENT CONCERNING SHRIMP BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES, SIGNED ON THE SAME DATE, THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL RELATIONS WOULD APPRECIATE MEASURES BY THE EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA SO THAT THE LIBERATION OF THE BOATS CAN BE ACCOMPLISHED.  
END OF TEXT.

2. LAST SENTENCE OF MINISTRY'S NOTE IS NOT CLEAR  
SINCE BOATS DEPARTED BELEM ON MARCH 28.  
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